



MEDIA RELEASE

The Guelph Community Foundation awards 15 local students with \$21,300 in scholarships and bursaries

Guelph, Ontario – Monday July 25, 2022 – The Guelph Community Foundation and our fundholders are proud to announce our 2022 scholarship and bursary recipients.

These outstanding Guelph and Wellington County graduating students have been given scholarships set up by generous community fundholders to help local students achieve their academic goals. Many of these scholarships and bursaries support students pursuing business, STEM related subjects, trades, athletics, or are there to help support those pursuing post-secondary education but are facing financial barriers. The recipients have demonstrated determination, perseverance, compassion, respect for others and their community, and have shown tremendous potential.

We sincerely thank our fundholders and donors who help fund these scholarships and bursaries, and who appreciate the impact that it has in these young people’s lives. The creation of these awards is often in memory of someone important to their family. Our fundholders believe it’s important to remove financial barriers to success and reward remarkable students who choose post-secondary education.

Financial barriers for students are high and ever on the rise. These scholarships, which are a big help to the students, often only scratch the surface. If you are interested in learning more about how you or your family can create a scholarship or are looking at ways to support students in our community, contact the Foundation at info@guelphcf.ca or visit the website, guelphcf.ca.

The Foundation’s volunteer Grants Committee, in partnership with school administration, helped to determine the following recipients. We thank them for their discernment and dedication of their time.

Wellington Catholic School Board:

| School Name | Scholarship Name | Award Winner | Amount Awarded |
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| Bishop Macdonell Catholic High School | Angelo and Rina Longo Scholarship 2022 | Christine Trinh | \$1000.00 |
| Bishop Macdonell Catholic High School | Eric Goegan Scholarship Award 2022 | Owen Sartor | \$500.00 |
| Bishop Macdonell Catholic High School | John A Hourigan Memorial Award 2022 | Alyssa Manfini | \$200.00 |
| Bishop Macdonell Catholic High School | Mary Phelan Scholarship 2022 | Ella Barr | \$1,000.00 |
| Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic High School | Angelo and Rina Longo Scholarship 2022 | Camryn Mulder | \$1000.00 |

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| Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic High School | Frank Taylor Bursary 2022 | Lucille Dela Fuente | \$200.00 |
| Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic High School | Iolanda Maugeri Hall Business Education Bursary 2022 | Eryn Lacsamana | \$3,500.00 |
| Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic High School | John A Hourigan Memorial Award 2022 | Vivian Do | \$200.00 |
| St. James Catholic High School | Angelo and Rina Longo Scholarship 2022 | Keith (Kate) Capili | \$1000.00 |
| St. James Catholic High School | John A Hourigan Memorial Award 2022 | Ethan Wagner | \$200.00 |
| Centre Wellington District High School | Mabel Anne Brouwer Scholarship Fund - Women in STEM Scholarship 2022 | Marissa DeVires | \$1,000.00 |

Upper Grand District School Board:

| School Name | Scholarship | Award Winner | Amount Awarded |
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| Centennial Collegiate Vocational Institute | Class of '71 Kathryn Winegard Memorial Scholarship 2022 | Jenna Olsen | \$500.00 |
| Norwell District Secondary School | Bruce Graham Memorial Fund - Women in STEM Scholarship 2022 | Mariah Lopez | \$1,000.00 |
| John F. Ross Collegiate Vocational Institute | SmithValeriotte Education Bursary 2022 | Reilly Dale | \$5,000.00 |
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About The Guelph Community Foundation

The Guelph Community Foundation is a charitable public foundation whose purpose is to provide leadership in community philanthropy and enhance the quality of life for the citizens of Guelph and surrounding areas through endowments, stewardship, and granting programs. The Foundation pools the charitable gifts of donors into permanent, interest earning endowments. The income from the endowments supports a range of charitable programs and activities. Currently, the Foundation administers \$15.5 million in funds with \$13.0 million in permanent endowed assets. Since inception, \$13.5 million has been distributed through more than 2,300 individual grants to local charitable programs.

The Guelph Community Foundation is located at 55 Wyndham St N, Suite 4A, in the Old Quebec Street Shoppes in downtown Guelph. To learn more please visit guelphcf.ca